



# My hobby

**Japan** – games, anime , manga , language , culture

# Language

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- Japanese language is quite unique, they don't use normal letters like many others, instead they use three alphabets Hiragana, katakana, kanji.
- Hiragana for common words like wind, flower
- Katakana for words that are known as Japanglish, bear, chocolate
- Kanji are more complicated they put them in sentences or it can be just one word, one kanji can have multiple meanings.

日本	東京	大阪	北海道			
Japan	Tokyo	Osaka	Hokkaido			
山	川	日	雨	水	火	田
mountain	river	sun	rain	water	fire	rice field
米	魚	寿司	肉	酒	茶	
rice	fish	sushi	meat	alcohol	tea	
車	電気	自転車	飛行機			
car	electricity	bicycle	airplane			
一	二	三	四	五	六	七
one	two	three	four	five	six	seven
男	女	松井秀喜	黒沢明			
man	woman	Matsui Hideki	Kurozawa Akira			
食べる	行く	小	大	多	少	
to eat	to go	small	big	many	few	

## HIRAGANA

japanese alphabet

あ a	か ka	さ sa	た ta	な na	は ha	ま ma	や ya	ら ra	わ wa
い i	き ki	し shi	ち chi	に ni	ひ hi	み mi		り ri	
う u	く ku	す su	つ tsu	ぬ nu	ふ fu	む mu	ゆ yu	る ru	を wo
え e	け ke	せ se	て te	ね ne	へ he	め me		れ re	
お o	こ ko	そ so	と to	の no	ほ ho	も mo	よ yo	ろ ro	ん n

カタカナ  
katakana

ワ	ラ	ヤ	マ	ハ	ナ	タ	サ	カ	ア
	リ		ミ	ヒ	ニ	チ	シ	キ	イ
ヲ	ル	ユ	ム	フ	ヌ	ツ	ス	ク	ウ
	レ		メ	ヘ	ネ	テ	セ	ケ	エ
ン	ロ	ヨ	モ	ホ	ノ	ト	ソ	コ	オ
				ワ, ヲ, ヴ, ヱ, ヲ	カ, ク, ケ, コ	サ, シ, セ, ソ	タ, チ, テ, ト	ナ, ニ, ネ, ノ	



# Anime

- Animated Series like cartoons however more complicated, and far more beautiful
- There are a lot of kinds of series, everyone can find what they like , shounen with protagonist who fight againts evil, shojo with romance and many more
- My fav series are one piece , black clover , dr stone , jibaku no shounen hanako kun

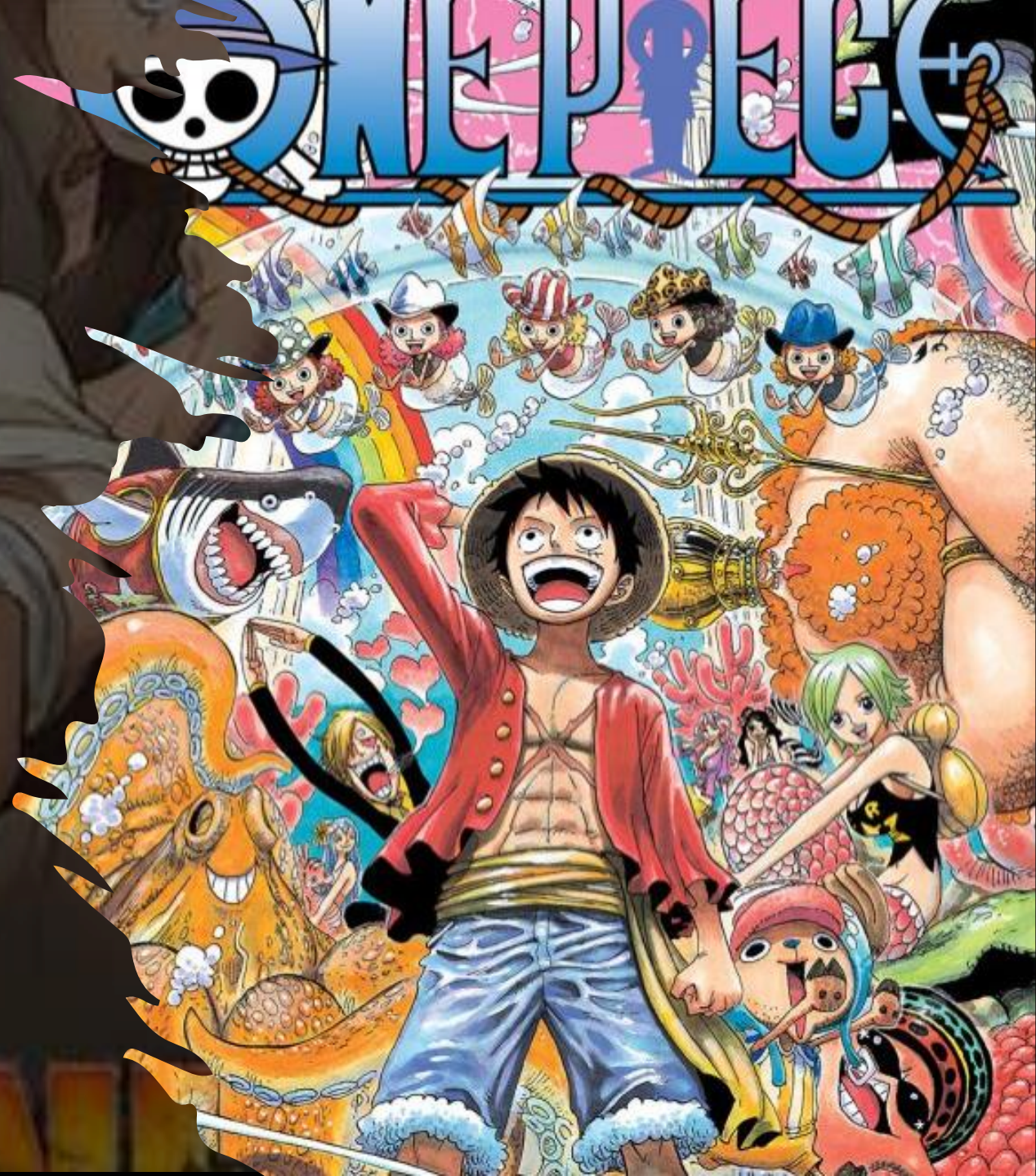
# My favourite anime of all time

- One piece – first episode came out in 1999, and still new are released every week. Today we have 1054 episodes.
- This anime tells us a story about pirates, luffy the main charcter trying to achive his livelong dream of becoming the pirate king, alongside with his crew they have many adventures. Although we may see this anime as stupid comedy , which is ,but we also learn a lot from this story, for example that family doesn't need to be blood related because true family is with someone who shows us his love, that even if everyone laughs at you and your dream just ignore them and do it even if it takes a long time .
- This anime has also very good art. Style , animation , voice act, many characters that are unique, we have fish mans, dragons , samurais.



# Manga

- Books that can be called comics , every series has its own beautiful art and story
- Mangas are read in different way from right to left
- Those books we could buy just like any other book or like in Japan every week they are realised in newspaper called shounen jump that includes shounen series that are popular now. In this newspaper there is one chapter of each series. .

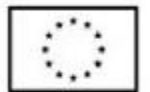


# Games

- As for games there are games like one piece world seeker or pirate warriors, also we could find naruto, sao, kimetsu no yaiba they are realised on ps4, xbox
- Nintendo has been realising pokemon games for a long time, right now we have 9 generations of pokemon series. My favourite are pokemon sword and shield, pokemon legends of arceus, pokemon scarlet and violet.
- \*my favourite pokemon of all time is gekkoda or greninja in English.
- Pokemon series in japan has also different names than English, they are known there as poketto monstaa



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# Food

This country is known for the sushi , ramen , raw fish etc. However there are many more delicious food there.

Soba, tonkatsu , mitarashi dango ,mochi , taiyaki ,tmpura , takoyaki these ones are only few from a variety that we could find.

Well known from anime are bentos – lunchboxes, they could be normaliy with rice , pork, broccoli etc however many of them can be very cute, rice balls made to look like pandas , carrot with shape like flower, or anime themed ones.

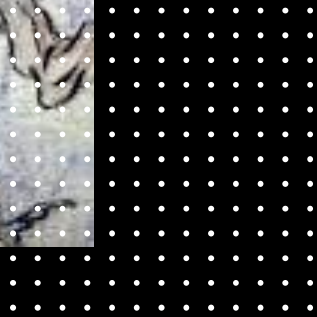






# Culture

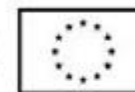
- Yokai - scary type of monster in Japanese folk stories, they could be scary or cute
- Oni – demons or orcs, they are very strong and fearsome, they bring disaster and disease, we can see oni when winters come into spring, people to chase them away use to throw beans at them.
- Kitsune – in folk foxes are animals that play tricks on humans, especially the one that deserves it for example arrogant samurai, however they could also be your loyal friend who would help you in difficult situations. Japanese foxes are said to have supernatural power like shape-shifting, long lives, and are said to be Shinto gods' messengers that's why we could see two fox statues at a shrine.
- Kasa-obake – looks like an umbrella with one eye and one leg, it appears on rainy days and could lift people up, after they could crash on the ground or disappear. Japanese people think that old things are possessed by spirits that's why they have a hard time throwing things away, and have a special ritual called „throwing away ceremony“, to make that process easier for them.



- **Momotarō** – Arguably the most famous Japanese folktale, this is the quirky story of a boy who was born from a peach and discovered by an old childless couple when they split the soft fruit open. Momotaro jumped out and was raised by the couple. Later, as a teenager he set off on a long and dangerous quest with a talking dog, monkey and pheasant to battle a legion of demons and claim their riches.
- **Yuki-Onna** – This is the tale of a ‘snow woman’ (yuki-onna) whose icy breath freezes her victims to death. In the classic tale, she comes across two woodcutters and spares one.



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